

1. (Amended) A structured cosmetic composition comprising:

(a) at least one dyestuff; and

(b) at least one continuous liquid fatty phase,

wherein said at least one continuous liquid fatty phase is structured with a sufficient amount of at least one structuring polymer which has a weight-average molecular mass ranging up to 30,000 and which comprises:

a) a polymeric skeleton comprising repeating units comprising at least one hetero atom; and

b) at least one fatty chain, optionally functionalized, comprising from 12 to 120 carbon atoms, chosen from pendant fatty chains and terminal fatty chains which are bonded to said polymeric skeleton;

wherein said at least one fatty chain is present in a quantity ranging from 40% to 98% of the total number of all said repeating units comprising at least one hetero atom and all said at least one fatty chains;

wherein said structured composition is in the form of a wax-free solid, and wherein said at least one dyestuff, said at least one continuous liquid fatty phase and said at least one structuring polymer form a physiologically acceptable medium.

91. (Amended) A dermatological composition for at least one keratin

material, a cosmetic care composition for at least one keratin material, a make-up

composition, a body hygiene composition, a sunscreen composition for at least one keratin material, or an after-sun composition for at least one keratin material

comprising a composition comprising:

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(a) at least one dyestuff; and

(b) at least one continuous liquid fatty phase,

wherein said at least one continuous liquid fatty phase is structured with a sufficient amount of at least one structuring polymer which has a weight-average molecular mass ranging up to 30,000 and which comprises:

a) a polymeric skeleton comprising repeating units comprising at least one hetero atom; and

b) at least one fatty chain, optionally functionalized, comprising from 12 to 120 carbon atoms, chosen from pendant fatty chains and

terminal fatty chains which are bonded to said polymeric skeleton;

wherein said at least one fatty chain is present in a quantity ranging from 40% to 98% of the total number of all said repeating units comprising at least one hetero atom and all said at least one fatty chains; and

wherein said composition is in the form of a structured, wax-free solid.

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178. (Amended) A structured cosmetic composition comprising:

(a) at least one dyestuff; and

(b) at least one continuous liquid fatty phase,

wherein said at least one continuous liquid fatty phase is structured with a sufficient amount of at least one structuring polymer which has a weight-average molecular mass ranging up to 30,000 and which comprises:

a) a polymeric skeleton comprising repeating units comprising at least one non-pendant hetero atom; and

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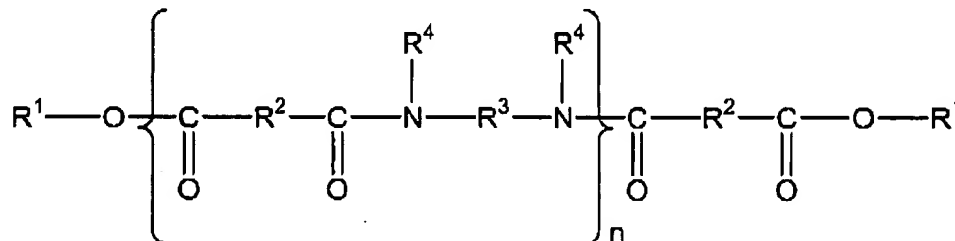
b) at least one fatty chain, optionally functionalized, comprising from 12 to 120 carbon atoms, chosen from pendant fatty chains and terminal fatty chains which are bonded to said polymeric skeleton; wherein said at least one fatty chain is present in a quantity ranging from 40% to 98% of the total number of all said repeating units comprising at least one non-pendant hetero atom and all said at least one fatty chains; wherein said structured composition is in the form of a wax-free solid, and wherein said at least one dyestuff, said at least one continuous liquid fatty phase and said at least one structuring polymer form a physiologically acceptable medium.

--184. (New) A structured cosmetic composition comprising:

- (a) at least one dyestuff; and
 (b) at least one continuous liquid fatty phase,

wherein said at least one continuous liquid fatty phase is structured with a sufficient amount of at least one structuring polymer which has a weight-average molecular mass ranging up to 30,000;

wherein said at least one structuring polymer is chosen from polymers of formula (I) and mixtures thereof:



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in which:

- n is an integer which represents the number of amide units such that the number of ester groups present in said at least one structuring polymer ranges from 10% to 50% of the total number of all said ester groups and all said amide groups comprised in said at least one structuring polymer;

- R¹, which are identical or different, are each chosen from alkyl groups comprising at least 4 carbon atoms and alkenyl groups comprising at least 4 carbon atoms;

- R², which are identical or different, are each chosen from C₄ to C₄₂ hydrocarbon-based groups with the proviso that at least 50% of R² are chosen from C₃₀ to C₄₂ hydrocarbon-based groups;

- R³, which are identical or different, are each chosen from organic groups comprising atoms chosen from carbon atoms, hydrogen atoms, oxygen atoms and nitrogen atoms with the proviso that R³ comprises at least 2 carbon atoms; and

- R⁴, which are identical or different, are each chosen from hydrogen atoms, C₁ to C₁₀ alkyl groups and a direct bond to group chosen from R³ and another R⁴ such that when said at least one group is chosen from another R⁴, the nitrogen atom to which both R³ and R⁴ are bonded forms part of a heterocyclic structure defined in part by R⁴-N-R³, with the proviso that at least 50% of all R⁴ are chosen from hydrogen atoms;

wherein said structured composition is in the form of a wax-free solid; and

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wh rein said at least one dyestuff, said at least one continuous liquid fatty phase and said at least one structuring polymer form a physiologically acceptable medium.

185. (New) A structured composition comprising:

- (a) at least one dyestuff; and
(b) at least one continuous liquid fatty phase,

wherein said at least one continuous liquid fatty phase is structured with a sufficient amount of at least one structuring polymer which has a weight-average molecular mass ranging up to 30,000 and which comprises:

a) a polymeric skeleton comprising repeating units comprising at least one hetero atom; and

b) at least one fatty chain, optionally functionalized, comprising from 12 to 120 carbon atoms, chosen from pendant fatty chains and terminal fatty chains which are bonded to said polymeric skeleton;

wherein said at least one fatty chain is present in a quantity ranging from 40% to 98% of the total number of all said repeating units comprising at least one hetero atom and all said at least one fatty chains;

wherein said structured composition is in the form of a wax-free solid,

wherein said structured composition is not in the form of a stick, and

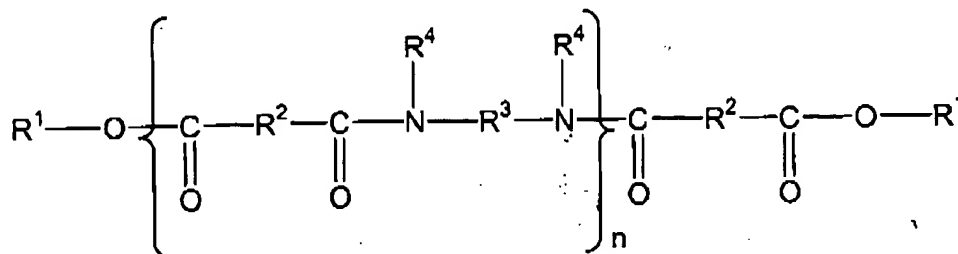
wherein said at least one dyestuff, said at least one continuous liquid fatty phase and said at least one structuring polymer form a physiologically acceptable medium.

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186. (New) A composition according to Claim 185, wherein said at least one structuring polymer is chosen from at least one polymer of formula (I):

wherein said at least one structuring polymer is chosen from polymers of formula (I) and mixtures thereof:



in which:

- n is an integer which represents the number of amide units such that the number of ester groups present in said at least one structuring polymer ranges from 10% to 50% of the total number of all said ester groups and all said amide groups comprised in said at least one structuring polymer;

- R¹, which are identical or different, are each chosen from alkyl groups comprising at least 4 carbon atoms and alkenyl groups comprising at least 4 carbon atoms;

- R², which are identical or different, are each chosen from C₄ to C₄₂ hydrocarbon-based groups with the proviso that at least 50% of R² are chosen from C₃₀ to C₄₂ hydrocarbon-based groups;

- R³, which are identical or different, are each chosen from organic groups comprising atoms chosen from carbon atoms, hydrogen atoms, oxygen atoms and nitrogen atoms with the proviso that R³ comprises at least 2 carbon atoms; and

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- R^4 , which are identical or different, are each chosen from hydrogen atoms, C_1 to C_{10} alkyl groups and a direct bond to group chosen from R^3 and another R^4 such that when said at least one group is chosen from another R^4 , the nitrogen atom to which both R^3 and R^4 are bonded forms part of a heterocyclic structure defined in part by R^4-N-R^3 , with the proviso that at least 50% of all R^4 are chosen from hydrogen atoms.

187. (New) A care composition for at least one keratin material consisting essentially of:

- (a) at least one dyestuff; and
- (b) at least one continuous liquid fatty phase,

wherein said at least one continuous liquid fatty phase is structured with a sufficient amount of at least one structuring polymer which has a weight-average molecular mass ranging up to 30,000 and which comprises:

- a) a polymeric skeleton comprising repeating units comprising at least one hetero atom; and
- b) at least one fatty chain, optionally functionalized, comprising from 12 to 120 carbon atoms, chosen from pendant fatty chains and terminal fatty chains which are bonded to said polymeric skeleton;

wherein said at least one fatty chain is present in a quantity ranging from 40% to 98% of the total number of all said repeating units comprising at least one hetero atom and all said at least one fatty chains; and

wherein said composition is in the form of a structured, wax-free solid.

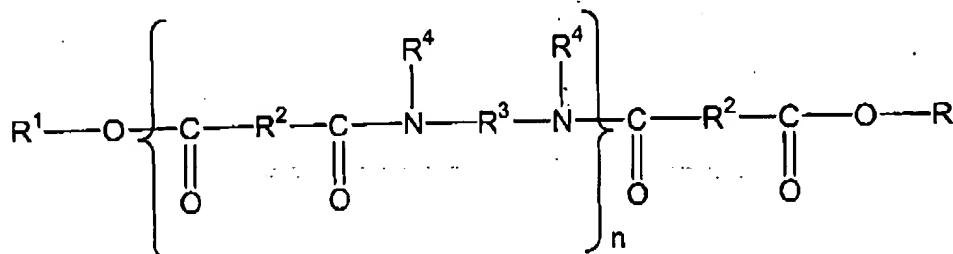
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188. (New) A composition according to Claim 187, wherein said at least one structuring polymer is chosen from at least one polymer of formula (I):

wherein said at least one structuring polymer is chosen from polymers of formula (I) and mixtures thereof:



in which:

- n is an integer which represents the number of amide units such that the number of ester groups present in said at least one structuring polymer ranges from 10% to 50% of the total number of all said ester groups and all said amide groups comprised in said at least one structuring polymer;

- R¹, which are identical or different, are each chosen from alkyl groups comprising at least 4 carbon atoms and alkenyl groups comprising at least 4 carbon atoms;

- R², which are identical or different, are each chosen from C₄ to C₄₂ hydrocarbon-based groups with the proviso that at least 50% of R² are chosen from C₃₀ to C₄₂ hydrocarbon-based groups;

- R³, which are identical or different, are each chosen from organic groups comprising atoms chosen from carbon atoms, hydrogen atoms, oxygen atoms and nitrogen atoms with the proviso that R³ comprises at least 2 carbon atoms; and

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